करोड़ रुपए की अतिरिक्त केन्द्रीय सहायता की मांग की थी।

(ख) भारत सरकार ने आपदा राहत कोष में से राज्य को देय राशि में से 45.315 करोड़ रुपए की राशि निर्मुक्त की थी।

(ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Setting up of National Live Stock Production Development Council

3831. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to set up an apex agency—National Live Stock Production Development Council;

(b) if so, what are the main objectives and functions of the Council; and

(c) by when it is likely to be set up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI K.C. LENKA): (a) No Sir. There is no such proposal in the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying of Ministry of Agriculture.

(b) and (c) Does not arise.

Import of Oilseeds

3832. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government propose to import oilseeds in spite of comfortable oilseeds production this year;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether it is also a fact that Hindustan Oilseeds Growers's Association has asked Government to draw up fresh policy guidelines for the oilseeds industry; and

(d) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) No, Sir. There is no proposal to import oilseeds for processing to recover edible oils.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) Hindustan Oilseeds Grower's Association highlighted the problems of oilseed growers which should be considered while arriving at any policy decision on the oilseed front. The same were examined and appropriate action was taken such as permitting the marketing of blended oils.

Drought in Orissa

3833. SHRI BASANT KUMAR DAS: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is drought in Kalahandi, Balangir and part of Sambalpur distt. in Orissa this year again;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the said area is reaching under chronic drought since 1965; and

(c) if so, the permanent remedial measures Government propose to take for the aforesaid area?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) to (c) Information is being collected from the State Government.

Promotions of Scientists in I.C.A.R.

3834. MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether some Institutes under I.C.A.R. have sent their recommendations regarding placement/promotions of Grade (S-1) Scientists;

(b) whether the Order No. 10(5)/92-Per.IV regarding the decision of Central Administrative Tribunal upheld by Supreme Court for Computation of total

length of service for placement/promotion of Grade (S-1) Scientists has been complied with;

(c) if so, the reasons for withholding results of placement/promotion of Grade (S-1) Scientists ;

(d) if answer of part (b) above be in the negative, what action Government propose to take in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI K.C. LENKA): (a) Sir. Grade S-1 Scientists of the ICAR have been redesignated as Scientist with effect from 1.1.86 and placed in the revised scale of *Rs. 2200-4000. Recommendations* regarding their placement/promotion to higher scale have been received from some of the Institutes.

(b) The Order No. 10(5)/92-Per.IV has been implemented, but it relates to the relevance of the service rendered in the 'S' grade of ARS or equivalent grades for computing the total length of service for the purpose of placement/promotion in the UGC pay package adopted by the ICAR by their notification dated 9.3.89.

(c) S-1 Scientists in position on 31.12.85 have already been placed in the revised scale of Rs. 2200-4000 with effect from 1.1.86. The recommendations of the DPC regarding their placement/promotion in higher scales have been received recently and are under process.

(d) Does not arise.

Andhra Pradesh proposals sanctioned by World Bank

3835. SHRI PASUMPON THA. KIRUTTINAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Andhra Pradesh Government has succeeded in getting their proposals approved in the wake of the 1990 cyclone, sanctioned by the World Bank; and

(b) if so, what are the details of the projects and the total amount sanctioned alongwith repayment schedule?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) and (b) In the wake of cyclone in May, 1990 Government of Andhra Pradesh and drawn up a Cyclone Emergency Reconstruction Project for World Bank assistance. This Project has since been approved by the World Bank and in currently being implemented by the Government of Andhra Pradesh in areas affected by cyclone in May, 1990.

The Project is aimed at cyclone reconstruction operations in the cyclone affected areas, including restoration of assets and a programme for mitigation of future similar disasters and strengthening of institutional capabilities in cyclone preparedness and mitigation. The Project Proposal broadly covers the sectors such as irrigation and drainage roads and bridges, cyclone shelters, electricity, agriculture including fisheries, rural water supply, municipal services, housing and technical assistance, etc.

The financing plan of the Project is as follows:—

	US $ Million
International Bank for Reconstruction and Development	40.00
International Development Association	170.00
IDA Credit Diversion from Second Andhra Pradesh Irrigation Project	55.00
Government of Andhra Pradesh	115.00
	380.00

The IBRD loan is for 20 years including a 5 year grace period at the Bank's Standard Variable interest Rate. The IDA credit would be on standard IDA terms with 35 years maturity including a grace period of 10 years.